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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 5, 2002, for which the Examiner set a three-month period for response, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 11-13 without prejudice or disclaimer.

## **REMARKS**

Claims 1-10 and 14-16 are all the claims pending in the application, claims 11-13 having been cancelled without prejudice.

The Examiner objects to the drawings and requires Applicants to furnish corrected drawings. Applicants correct typographical errors in Fig.1 and submit corrected Fig. 1 as an Appendix to this Amendment. Specifically, reference numbers 6 and 12 are deleted. Reference number 2 designating an unknown part is changed to reference number 8 designating the outer ring